

**PATENT**

**Applicant:** Swanson

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**Title:** Composite Structures and  
Methods for Ablating Tissue to Form  
Complex Lesion Patterns in the Treatment  
of Cardiac Conditions and the Like

**Group Art Unit:** 3737

**Examiner:** Peffley

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**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding office action for the above-identified application. A credit card charge authorization in the amount of \$120 is accompanying the filing of this paper. We authorize the Commissioner to charge any additional fees to our deposit account No. 50-0638.

Respectfully submitted,

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